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TEXT OF A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT
TO THE CHAIRMEN OF THE HOUSE AND
SENATE COMMITTEES ON ARMED SERVICES,
THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS,
AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

May 2, 2019

Dear Mr. Chairman:

I am providing the attached report on defense spending of North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) members, including steps members have taken to move toward NATO defense spending commitments, prepared consistent with section (3)(2) of the Resolution of Advice and Consent to Ratification of the Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of Montenegro of March 28, 2017.

Sincerely,

DONALD J. TRUMP

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